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GIVES ADMINISTRATIVE SUBDIVISIONS OF EASTERN DISTRICT,  
INNER MONGOLIA AUTONOMOUS REGION

Administratively, the Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region is divided into the Eastern and Western Districts. The Western District is made up of the six leagues of Hsi-lin-kuo-ch'in (Silingol), I-k'o-chao (Ikechou), Wu-lan-ch'a-pu (Ulan-chap), Ch'a-ha-erh (Chahar), Fa-yen-t'a-la (Bayan-Tala), and Ningsia located in Chahar, Suiyuan, and Ningsia provinces, while the eastern district is comprised of the four leagues of Che-li-mu (Jerim), Chao-wu-ta (Jo-oda), Hsingan, and Hu-na located in the Northeast. The Hu-na League is a merger of the former Hu-lun-pei-erh (Hulunbuir) and Na-wen-mu-jen (1) /numbers refer to appended characters/ leagues. These two districts cover an area of about 1.5 million square kilometers and are inhabited by about 12 million people. The number of banners in these leagues totals 79.

The administrative subdivisions of the four leagues of the eastern district are as follows:

1. Hsingan League

The seat of this league is at Wu-lan-hao (2) /Wang-yeh-miao/, which is also the main headquarters of the Chinese Communist Party in the eastern district. It controls four banners, one hsien, and one special municipality as follows:

a. Hsi-k'o (3) (Khorchin West Wing) Front Banner with jurisdiction over 11 ch'u /district/ and 107 villages. /"Front" and "Rear" are used instead of "North" and "South" in banner names, but it is not clear which replaces "North" and which replaces "South."/

b. Hsi-k'o (Khorchin West Wing) Central Banner with jurisdiction over nine ch'u and 73 villages.

c. Hsi-k'o (Khorchin West Wing) Rear Banner with jurisdiction over four ch'u and 23 villages.

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d. Cha-lai (4) Jalaid? Special Banner with jurisdiction over 11 ch'u and 77 villages.

e. T'u-ch'uan (5) Hsien with jurisdiction over 11 ch'u and 106 villages.

f. Special municipality of Wu-lan-hao with jurisdiction over four ch'u and nine villages.

## 2. Che-li-mu League

The seat of this league is at T'ung-liao (6). It controls five banners and two hsien as follows: (a) Tung-k'o (7) (Khorchin East Wing) Central Banner; (b) Tung-k'o (Khorchin East Wing) Rear Banner; (c) Cha-lu (8) Jarod? Special Banner; (d) Na-man (9) Banner (Naimen); (e) K'u-lun (10) Banner; (f) T'ung-liao Hsien; and (g) K'ai-lu (11) Hsien.

## 3. Hu-na League

The seat of this league is at Hailar. It has jurisdiction over the eight banners of Pu-ta-ha' (12) (Buteha), A-jung (13) (Aron), Mou-li-ta-wa (14), Tung-hsin-pa (15) (East New Barga), Hsi-hsin-pa (16) (West New Barga), O-erh-ku-na (17) Argun?, Ch'en-pa-erh-hu (18), and So-lun (19), and the two municipalities of Hailar and Man-chou-li.

## 4. Chao-wu-ta League

The seat of this league is at Lin-tung in Pa-lin (Barin) Left Banner also known as Barin East Banner. It has jurisdiction over the four banners of Pa-lin (20) Right i.e. Barin West, Pa-lin Left i.e. Barin East, A-lu-k'o-erh-ch'in (Aro-Khorchin) (21), and K'o-shih-k'o-t'eng (22) (Keshikten), and Lin-hsi Hsien.

Generally, the eastern district is very sparsely populated. The total population is about 2,139,000, of which about 650,000 are Mongolians. There are very few Russians and Koreans residing in this district, the great majority being Han tribesmen.

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